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SUBJ: TECHNICIAN EXCHANGE: VISIT OF AID/OIT REP R. BRANDT

REF: STATE 023942

1. MR. BRANDT ARRIVED ON FEBRUARY 6 AS SCHEDULED, WAS BRIEFED AT THE EMBASSY, AND ACCOMPANIED ON HIS FIRST VISIT TO 'CONACYT' BY AMB SCICOUNS.

2. HIS VISIT WAS WELL RECEIVED AS DEMONSTRATION OF GOOD WILL ON PART 'USG' TO FIND SUCCESSFUL 'MODUS OPERANDI' DURING INTERIM PERIOD EXTENDING TO JUNE 30, 1975 WHEN HOPEFULLY FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF AGREEMENT, SO EARNESTLY DESIRED BY GOM, MAY BECOME VIABLE. (REFERENCE IS TO UNDERSTANDING DEVELOPED AT JAN 14-17, 1974 MIXED COMMISSION ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PREPARATORY SESSIONS IN WASHINGTON.)

3. BRANDT SHARES EMBASSY OPINION THAT 'CONACYT' STAFFED BY ALERT, INTELLIGENT GROUP OF YOUNG OFFICERS WHO KNOW WHERE THEY WANT TO GO AND WHO LOOK UPON THE PRESENT AGREEMENT AS A SOLUTION TO ONE OF THEIR PRIORITY GOALS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES.

4. DURING COURSE CONVERSATIONS WITH 'CONACYT' OFFICIALS, BRANDT BECAME FAMILIAR WITH PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE BESET PROGRAM FROM ITS OUTSET, WITH INTERNAL 'CONACYT' WORKING PROCEDURES, AND PERSONALLY ACQUISINTED WITH KEY FIGURES. IN TURN, HE HAD OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUISINT COUNCIL OFFICIALS WITH NORMAL AID/OIT REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES. HE ALSO MADE SPECIFIC SUGGESTIONS DESIGNED TO FACILITATE THE OPERATION WHICH WERE WELL RECEIVED BY

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GOM REPS. LATTER HAVE REQUESTED THAT PLAN OF ACTION

RESULTING FROM BRANDT VISIT BE SUBMITTED THROUGH CHANNELS ASAP
FOR CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL, PREFERABLY PRIOR TO MIXED
COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 4-6 WASHINGTON.

5. BRANDT WILL REPORT IN DETAIL ON RETURN FEBRUARY 14,
INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS WITH AID/ETAC AND BINATIONAL CENTER
OFFICIALS.

6. COMMENT: EMBASSY IS GRATIFIED AT EFFECTIVE SUPPORT PROVIDED BY
AID/OIT AND CONSIDERS BRANDT VISIT QUITE SUCCESSFUL IN AMELIORATING
PRESENT DELICATE SITUATION. HIS FLUENCY IN SPANISH AIDED
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